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8 May 1953

Dear Ed:

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Last month you forwarded to me a letter you had received from [redacted] respecting his application for employment in this Agency.

[redacted] is one of the unfortunate applicants whose papers we have had to file as a result of a fairly extensive cut-back which we took in anticipation of the new economies enjoined on us by the Administration and Congress. This cut-back naturally released a number of individuals who had been with the Agency for some time. As a result, we feel we have a prior duty toward these long-time employees and our new hiring has been drastically curtailed.

I want to assure you that, as [redacted] has been told, there is absolutely nothing derogatory in his record which could have prevented his getting a position with us. You may assure him that his papers remain in our active file and should there be a vacancy for which he would be suited we will, of course, be in touch with him. I would certainly not want him to turn down any other possibilities, however, on the remote chance that something would open up for him here. If [redacted] wants a definite "yes" or "no" answer it must be "no".

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I appreciate your bringing this matter to my attention.

Sincerely yours,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

Honorable Edward Corsi
Industrial Commissioner
of the State of New York
80 Centre Street
New York, N. Y.

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